

Small Ships Need Anchors As Often As Big Ones

The great business houses find it necessary and profitable to insure the lives of the heads of the business.

This insurance is paid for out of the business and is for the benefit of the business. It provides ready cash to steady the credit of the concern.

It arranges for buying the interest of the heirs who might otherwise be a serious hamper in the future policy of the company.

It bridges the chasm which the loss of a man's services and personality inevitably cause.

Even more important is business insurance to smaller concerns whose continuation and prosperity depend upon one or two individuals.

Members of firms and corporations are requested to confer with a representative of any of the Old Line Life Insurance companies regarding business protection.

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VICIOUS HOG BITES 4 YEAR OLD GIRL

**Cloak Saves Marshall Randle's
Daughter From Serious
Injury.**

The four-year-old daughter of Marshall Randles whose home is in South Cape, was attacked by a vicious hog Thursday afternoon as she, with her mother and two sisters, were walking along South Sprigg street a short distance below the Houck woods.

As Mrs. Randles and her children were passing the home of a man named McKnight, the hog rushed out of the yard and pounced upon the child.

The little girl was knocked down and trod upon by the brute which is said to weigh about 200 pounds. Her clothes were torn almost to shreds, and the long tusks cut deep gashes in her back and over her body.

George Reyburn, a teamster, who was driving along the road, heard the screams of the mother and her children and hurried to the rescue. He drove the infuriated animal away and carried the injured child to her home.

The heavy coat that the little girl wore at the time of the attack, although cut and torn almost to pieces, is believed to have saved her life as it afforded much protection against the long tusks and the sharp hoofs.

For the past few days the hog has shown a vicious tendency, and a short time ago attacked Mrs. Calvin Pind, who lives in that neighborhood.

Big Combination Sale

Registered and High-Grade
**Cattle, Hogs, Sheep
and Weanling Mules**

Consisting of
30 HEREFORD CATTLE
Embracing Cows, Heifers and
Bull Calves

Also the registered young roan Short-horn Bull, GEN. NOBLE No. 391,685, sired by White Royal 281,208, out of Gertrude 10,709.

20-Good Weanling Mare Mules-20

15-Head of High-Grade Sheep-15

30-Registered Poland Chinas-30

or eligible to register, consisting of bred Sows, Gilts and serviceable Young Boars.

Sale Will Take Place On

TUESDAY, DEC. 15, 1914

AT THE FARM OF LINDER MILLER, situated on Gravel Road, 3 1/2 miles west of Jackson, Mo.

Sale will take place, rain or shine. In case of bad weather, plenty of shelter available. Autos will run all day from Jackson to farm. Lunch will be served on the grounds.

TERMS—CASH.

Do not fail to make use of this opportunity to get good stock at your own figures. Full information as to breeding, etc., will be furnished in advance on application.

LINDER MILLER,

W. F. SCHADE,

GEO. E. SEIBERT,

Auctioneer: Thos. B. Straughn,

St. Genevieve, Mo.

RESERVE BANKS WILL HELP TO REDUCE COTTON

**Farmers Will be Compelled
to Produce Grain or Suffer
Financially.**

**NEW PLAN APPLIES
LARGELY TO DIXIE**

**Secretary McAdoo Indorses Plan
to Place Grain Ahead of
Cotton.**

St. Louis, Nov. 28.—The cotton situation promises to afford new proof that "there is more than one way to skin a rabbit." The Federal Government and all of the Southern State Governments except South Carolina's shied away from propositions to restrict next year's cotton acreage by law. It was the cotton farmers who begged for it were assured, unconstitutional; it was an outrageous invasion of a man's right to plant what he pleased; it would create a dangerous Socialist precedent. The farmers were told they could arrange the restriction of acreage by co-operation, and the general public was reassured against fears of another low-priced bumper crop next year with the explanation that the cotton growers would have to cut their 1915 cotton acreage in sheer self-preservation.

It appears, however, that there is an agency of government which can be, and will be, employed to enforce, restriction of acreage quite as effectually, for a majority of growers, as a straight-out limitation law. This agency is the Federal Reserve Board. The purpose of this new agency controlling American credits to use its power to enforce less cotton and more grain acreage in the South next year was first broadly intimated in a statement given out by Secretary McAdoo. In that statement he said:

While the creation of the cotton loan fund and its use under the plan will have a far-reaching and beneficial influence upon the cotton and business situation, nevertheless the attention of the South should not be drawn away from the other pressing and important problem with which it must intelligently and effectively deal, namely, a material reduction of cotton acreage in 1915 and the raising of food products on a large part of the acreage heretofore devoted to cotton. Not only will diversification help the prosperity of the South, but the mere assurance of a large decrease in the cotton crop next year will immediately enhance the value of the present crop. The food products which the South can advantageously raise on a part of the cotton acreage will find a ready market at profitable prices, even if the South itself cannot absorb them with greater advantage than by buying supplies from neighboring states.

If the war in Europe is protracted the demand for foodstuffs will grow in volume and intensity, and must be supplied in large part by this country. The recently expressed views of the Secretary of Agriculture on this subject should be read by every farmer in the South. The Department of Agriculture will gladly give information to the farmers of the South about the best means and methods of crop diversification suitable to the conditions of each locality.

The bankers also have an exceptional opportunity to aid in this commendable work. They can, in large measure, influence the character of crops by imposing proper conditions upon the advances they may make to the farmers. Where the bankers are not dealing direct with the farmers, the merchant who supplies the necessary credits can exert the necessary influence. I earnestly hope that the farmers, the bankers and the merchants in the South will co-operate with each other for the purpose of materially reducing the cotton crop in 1915 and securing a satisfactory crop diversification. Not only should the Southern farmer plant food crops, but he can raise cattle and poultry with great benefit to himself and the country at large. He can not do this, however, unless he reduces cotton acreage and raises food supplies.

POPE MARRIES COUPLE

Rome, Nov. 30.—Pope Benedict XV in person solemnized yesterday the marriage of Prince Ruffo Della Scatola and the Countess Gabriela Bacci in fulfillment of a promise he made while Archbishop of Bologna.

This is the first time a Pope has personally officiated at a marriage since Pius IX married Alfonso Bourbon, Count of Caserte, to the daughter of Count Trapani, in 1869.

SAYS MATE'S MAMA CALLED HER "THING"

**Daughter-in-law of Rich St.
Louis Woman Testifies in
Alienation Suit.**

HUBBY LIKED BISCUITS

**Mrs. Emma Milford Testifies She
Sometimes Scorched Meat and
Was Scolded.**

Mrs. Emma Milford, plaintiff in the case of Emma Milford vs. Margaret Milford, now being tried in the common pleas court, was on the stand for several hours yesterday in her efforts to show that her mother-in-law, the defendant, had come between her and her husband, Richard Milford, causing him to abandon her, and creating an irreparable breach in the happy relations formerly existing between them. The young woman is asking \$10,000 damages from her mother-in-law who is wealthy.

She stated that from the time they were married on March 20, 1912, until her husband, who had been seriously ill, was removed to a hospital in St. Louis for treatment, they lived pleasantly together except on occasions when the defendant visited them at the farm on which they were living near Desloge.

She testified that when the mother was on the premises she was not allowed the companionship of her husband, who was compelled to go with his mother through the day, and remain with her in the house she occupied until late at night.

When asked if the defendant had ever scolded her she stated that she had not, but that in speaking of her to Richard, she referred to her as a "thing" unfit for him to live with.

She said that one morning at the breakfast table when Richard asked his mother why she could not make nice, light biscuits such as were made by the plaintiff, the defendant became very angry and said that "anyone with good sense knew that no cook book recommended the use of two different kinds of powders for biscuits."

She also stated her husband rarely complained of her cooking, although at times when she would cook the steak too much he would find fault, but never became angry.

When her husband was removed to St. Louis, she visited him at the hospital a few days later, and saw him at his mother's home after he had recovered, but he refused to return to her, and stated that if she came to the city it would be impossible for him to live with her on account of his mother's wishes.

She testified that at one time when she was in the city while Richard was in the hospital, Mrs. Milford took her to her home on Barker avenue, and showed her over the premises, and while there, stated that she would never permit her boy to go back to the farm, and that they had not decided what they would do with the plaintiff. Her testimony was corroborated by that of her brother, Emmett Robinson almost throughout, and Mr. Buck also testified as to the happy relations existing between the young couple when he was working on the farm after they were married.

Miss Cora Morris testified to conversations with the defendant in which she informed the witness that she did not consider the plaintiff as a fit wife for her son, and that she never intended to allow him to come back to her.

At the conclusion of the plaintiff's testimony, the joint will of William G. Milford and Margaret Milford was offered and accepted in evidence, after which the plaintiff rested.

The jury was then excused while the argument on defendant's motion to dismiss for lack of evidence was in progress.

The motion was overruled by the court, and the case will proceed at the opening of the session this morning.

Maggie Tarr was granted a divorce from Stephen D. Tarr and given the custody of her children. She was also awarded \$500 alimony and \$50 attorney fees.

NO WORD FROM FATHER LEVAN

Since the departure of Father Thos. Levan for Chicago, Friday morning, where he has gone in response to a message advising him of the discovery of the body of his father, who had wandered away from his home several weeks ago, no further information has been received in this city. Details concerning the death have not been received.

G. W. Shawan and son departed yesterday afternoon for a visit with relatives in Lyman, Ohio.

Harry Machen departed this morning for St. Louis on a short business trip.

Quien Sabe?

The best place to exchange a little jingling coin for a large sparkling Diamond?

Where to obtain the most desirable and satisfactory Christmas gift for a reasonable price?

How to master the conditions of a depleted purse and retain the gratitude of your friends at Christmas time?

Who can supply your demands and assist you in the selection of beautiful and appropriate Christmas presents for family or friends?

Where to get a Watch that is tickled to tick the time? Where will it pay you to go to make some Holiday purchases if you had to walk through the rain without an umbrella?

QUIEN SABE is a Spanish expression, meaning WHO KNOWS, and the answer in German, when applied to the above questions, is

F. H. Kassel
JEWELER

625 BROADWAY



News From The County Seat

Jackson, Dec. 2.

Mrs. A. H. Spradling is spending the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lupton at Gordonville.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church meets Friday afternoon in the basement of the church.

Little Miss Millie Mueller, who has been very sick the past few days, is reported some better today.

The Building and Loan Association held a meeting last night at the Studio of Mr. Andy Williams. Two loans were made.

Miss Floy Machen of the Cape, is visiting friends here.

The Grammar School pupils are practicing for a programme they will give at Christmas time.

L. P. Bray of Neely's Landing, is in town.

George Green and Joe Schmutz went on a hunting trip today.

Miss Mary Bernice Williams is preparing to take a trip West for her health.

Mrs. Augusta Lucht went to the Cape today to bring her father J. Buerkle home. Mr. Buerkle has been at the Cape in St. Francis Hospital several weeks, having had an operation performed on his left eye.

The ladies of the Methodist Church, will have their annual bazaar Thursday, Dec. 10th, in the basement of their church. They will give a program, both afternoon and evening.

The little children will furnish the afternoon program, while in the evening Rev. Jenkins, who is a Southerner, will give readings from Uncle Remus.

The town orchestra and several soloists will furnish music, besides a musical comedy. Everybody invited.

Miss Gertrude Kerstner is confined to her home on account of sickness. This is the first time in seven years that Miss Gertrude has been absent from school on account of illness.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid is meeting with Mrs. Ed Kerstner this afternoon.

Wm. B. Schaefer, passed through Jackson on his way home to the Cape last night.

The Wednesday Club, meets with Mrs. Fred Kies tomorrow afternoon. Mesdames Annie Bienlein and Ben Schwab are spending the day in Cape Girardeau.

Jim Edwin went to Perryville yesterday to visit his mother.

R. K. Wilson sold his transfer business to Dr. Chas. Query yesterday. Dr. Query took charge today.

The Martha and Mary Society of the Evangelical Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Augusta Luchts Thursday afternoon.

Our farmers are bringing a great many hogs to town, which J. Daugherty and others are buying to ship to St. Louis stock yards.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. August Hoffmeister, on Sunday, a daughter.

Some of the High School pupils are selling red cross seals, the proceeds to be used for the prevention of tuberculosis. Each pupil who sells or tries to sell the seals is presented with a red cross blotter.

Miss Norma Hines, who is attending the Cape Normal, came home to spend Sunday with her parents and was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Helen Hines of the Cape.

Mayor R. K. Wilson went to St. Louis last night to visit his wife who is under medical treatment there.

The Seniors realized \$30 on their play, "Uncle Josiah," which they gave at the Gem Theater last night.

Mr. Redicks of Charleston, is in town.

Marble Hill Lodge, A. F. & A. M. will visit the Jackson lodge tonight and confer the third degree.

Mrs. Cannon English and children, Miss Essie Robertson and little Miss Aline and Master Cecil Kinder, all of Whitewater, came in on the Jackson Branch last night. Mrs. English went to Neely's Landing this morning for a visit.

Miss Robertson will visit here with home folks until next Tuesday. Aline and Cecil Kinder spent the night in Jackson returning to their home in White this morning.

Miss Virgie Morton, who has been visiting Mrs. Nellie Morton at Fruitland, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Haupt, Mesdames J. W. McCombs, Ed Howard and Will Heyde, and the Misses Lizzie and Gayle Ranney went to the Cape today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Rachel Dennis of St. Louis, which will be held there this afternoon. Mrs. Dennis died at her home in St. Louis yesterday, the cause of death being dropsy.

J. T. McNeely, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Bern McNeely of Little Rock, Ark., will arrive in Jackson today for a few days' visit with friends and relatives. Jim is in the Navy, on the battleship Louisiana, and will return on the 3 of December, after a short furlough, the first part of which he spent with his parents. Jackson is Jim's birthplace, and we who know the boy, are very proud of him; we know he will make good.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clippard returned from their trip to Arkansas yesterday.

Chas. Granger, who teaches at Esch, Mo., is visiting his mother here.

The ladies of the Catholic church will serve supper in the vacant room next to the post office next Wednesday evening. Everybody is cordially invited.

Jacob Doyle, a former Cape County citizen who has been in Montana about a year, arrived in Jackson yesterday. Mr. Doyle will probably spend the winter here.

Will Schwab has presented the aligator which Emerson Spradling sent him, to Miss Hughes of the high school faculty. Now you young ladies and gentlemen of the high school, better be good.

Roy Taylor of Chaffee, is here on a visit to home folks.

The foot ball game played here yesterday between the Excelsus and Ori-Aurora Literary Societies of the high school, resulted in a tie. We believe this is the right way to play.

Misses Frieda Hasslinger and Alma Hines of the Cape, attended the dance at the Armory here last night.

Mesdames Jane Hays and Belle Hart went to St. Louis this morning to meet Mrs. Mabel Hays Aronn of Minneapolis, Minn., who will be in St. Louis. Mrs. Aronn is a granddaughter of Mrs. Hays.

Hon. Wilson Cramer, who was gored in the left thigh by a vicious cow Thursday, is reported no better today than he was yesterday. Mr. Cramer's many friends hope he may improve soon and that the wound leave no ill effects.

The auto contest held by a local store closed last night after three weeks of exciting interest among the contestants. Mr. Sam Peterman, who had been ahead, withdrew early Saturday morning, and when the contest closed at 8:30 p. m., Rev. Street of Fruitland was the lucky winner of the bright new Ford.

The Misses Elizabeth Granger and Edna Langehenning, who are attending the Normal at the Cape, spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Schenck of Perryville, came down Sunday to inspect the new home of her daughter, Mrs. Al Hunze.

Mr. and Mrs. McAtee spent Sunday with Mrs. McAtee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross of the Cape.

Miss Mary Buerkle, who has been ill for several weeks, expects to resume her work with Bruening & Kerstner Mercantile company tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gockel entertained Mr. and Mrs. Melville Rollbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Vogelsang and daughter of the Cape, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Peterman and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Morton and family with a turkey dinner and supper Sunday.

Gerry Sibley, who has been quite sick for several days was able to go up town this morning.

Mrs. Delph died at her home five miles west of town at seven o'clock last night. The funeral will be held tomorrow at eleven o'clock. Services at the house, and burial in the cemetery which is near the Delph home.

J. P. Mabrey has gone to southern states in the interest of the milling company.

Dale and Robert Reed have gone to Dutchtown on a hunting trip.

The Wessell store received their new wagon this morning.

A. P. Behrens of the Cape, spent a few hours in Jackson yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schwartz entertained Miss Mary Buerkle at dinner yesterday.

Will Schwab won a turkey at the Gem theater last week which he presented to Mrs. J. V. Priest, his landlady. Mrs. Priest told Will he might invite several of his gentlemen friends to help him eat the turkey, but Will is wise, and instead of young men, invited his brother, Ben, and wife. The readers will understand why we say "Will is wise," when we tell them Mrs. Priest has three pretty young lady boarders, and Will is and wants to be the only young man at that place.

Gerald Daley, who spent Thanksgiving with his parents here, left this morning for De Soto, where he has been in the shops learning to be a machinist and will finish there this week Friday.